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ORDER

SOUTHCENTRAL FOUNDATION, : IBIA 98-44-A

Appellant :

: Appeal of an October 22, 1997, decision

v. : issued by the Area Director, Alaska Area

Native Health Services, Indian Health

ACTING DIRECTOR, ALASKA AREA : Service

NATIVE HEALTH SERVICE, INDIAN :

HEALTH SERVICE, : Indian Self-Determination Act, 25 U.S.C.

Appellee : \$\\$ 450-450n

Appeal Dismissed

On February 19, 1999, Appellant filed a Consent to Dismissal in which it indicated that "contract negotiations have resulted in a final resolution of Southcentral Foundation's claims. Accordingly, Appellant agrees with the Indian Health Service that this case is now moot, and should be dismissed."

Based upon the Consent to Dismissal, the appeal is hereby dismissed.

Harvey C. Sweitzer Administrative Law Judge